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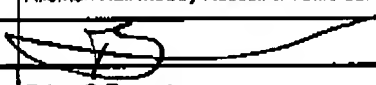
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	First Named Inventor	Yasuo Fujii	
	Art Unit	3771	
	Examiner Name	Quang D. Thanh	
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Design	210	105	100	50	130	65	
Plant	210	105	310	155	160	80	
Reissue	310	155	510	255	620	310	
Provisional	210	105	0	0	0	0	

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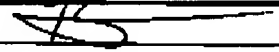
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In response to the Office action dated August 22, 2007, please consider the following:

Amendments to the specification : None  
Amendments to the claims : Begin on page 2  
Amendments to the drawings : None  
Remarks : Begin on page 18

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